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AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

Listing of Claims:

1. (Original) A semiconductor device comprising:
 - a semiconductor substrate; and
 - a semiconductor element which comprises:
 - a first electrode provided on a front plane of said semiconductor substrate, and
 - a second electrode provided on a rear plane of said semiconductor substrate;
 - a first metallic member connected to said first electrode; and
 - a second metallic member connected to said second electrode; wherein
 - said second electrode is connected to said second metallic member via a metallic layer containing precious metal, and
 - said metallic layer is a composite metal layer comprised of a first precious metal layer provided at the front plane of said second electrode and a second precious metal layer adhered thereto by compression bonding provided at the front plane of said second metallic member.
2. (Original) A semiconductor device comprising:
 - a semiconductor chip; and
 - a metallic member connected to a chip electrode,

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wherein:

said chip electrode is composed of any of an Al film
and an Al alloy film;

a bonding front plane of said metallic member is
composed of a plated precious metal film;

said chip electrode is bonded metallicity to said
metallic member via Au bumps; and

at least 80% of an area of a respective Au/Al
bonding region is contacting a Au bump, said bonding region being made of an Au/Al
alloy layer in the thickness direction.

3. (New) A semiconductor device according to claim 1, wherein:

a surface part of said first metallic member for connecting to outer
wirings and a surface part of said second metallic member are substantially
positioned in a same plane,

said first electrode and said first metallic member are connected
through plural protruding electrodes,

said metallic layer is made of metal alloy layer having a solid phase
temperature of more 400° C and containing said precious metal as a main
component,

at least one of a bump electrode made of said precious metal, a ball
shaped electrode, a Ag particle mixed with resin, a Ag member having a plate shape,
a sheet shape or a mesh shape or a Ag member of a plate shape or a sheet shape
being convex/concave or having an air gap part is provided between a precious

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metallic layer positioned on said second electrode and a precious metallic layer positioned on said second metallic member, and

said first metallic member is connected to plural outer wirings extended from a part having a connecting part of said first electrode.